



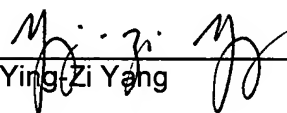
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED 27 FEBRUARY 2006

Sir:

In response to the Office action dated 27 February 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2;

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks and Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.